

ILLINOIS MOB FOILED IN ITS ATTEMPT TO LYNCH NEGRO

Murphysboro, Ill., Aug. 30.—The attempt of a mob of several hundred to lynch Joe Deberry, negro, who will be tried for murder of a white woman, was frustrated at the Harrisburg, Ill., jail early this morning. Deberry was smuggled out of jail under the protection of three companies of Illinois state militia and placed in the local jail here.

Deberry is charged with the murder of Mrs. James H. Martin, who was found backed almost beyond recognition in her home here about a month ago. Her husband, a prominent attorney, has since died from the shock. According to the police Deberry confessed killing Mrs. Martin while he was employed as a servant in her home because she insisted on his washing dishes when he was crazed from drinking gin.

Sulphur Springs, Tex. — A mob burned at the stake yesterday King Richmond, a negro who was seriously wounded, and the body of his brother Joe in revenge for the slaying of a deputy sheriff and fatal wounding of Sheriff J. B. Butler, who had attempted to arrest the brothers on a minor charge.

The negroes, who had submitted quietly to arrest, opened fire while they were being searched, killing Deputy Sheriff Flippen instantly. They shot Butler twice and beat him over the head with their pistols, fracturing his skull, and then fled.

A posse of several hundred found the negroes hiding in a thicket and in the exchange of shots Joe Richmond was killed and his brother seriously wounded. They were then brought here and burned.

STREET SPEAKERS DENY ANY ACTION LIKE A RIOT

Free thinkers arrested Saturday night for speaking at State and Congress sts. without a permit deny that there was any show of a riot in the audience. The Examiner used an

eight-column first-page story to say the speakers were rescued from lynching by Policemen Driscoll and O'Brien.

The three speakers arrested were Chas. Kruse, J. F. Howland and Geo. Duval. Their defense will be that the appellate court has ruled that permits to speak on the street are not necessary.

Irving S. Abrams of the American Secular union, arrested earlier in the week, says Policeman Driscoll is the only one who molests speakers.

SEVENTY HURT IN TWO "L" ROAD CRASHES WEST AND SOUTH

Seventy people were hurt in two serious elevated accidents last night.

A city-bound Metropolitan "L" train, crowded with people returning from Forest Park, telescoped an Elgin interurban last night near Scoville av., Oak Park. More than 50 people were injured in the crash.

Large section of the third rail was torn up when the two trains came together, throwing them into darkness. This probably prevented loss of life by electricity.

Officials of the road blame the accident on the crew of the interurban, who failed to send back a signalman when it was delayed. F. H. Sherman, engineer of the "L" train, said the fog obstructed his view of the track and that he was unable to stop when he saw the delayed interurban. Sherman was imprisoned in his cab and narrowly escaped death. His legs were badly crushed.

The other accident occurred at the South Park av. station of the South Side "L," where an empty "dummy" crashed into the rear of an Evanston express loaded with people returning from a dance at White City. John English, motorman of the "dummy," is being held by the police. He cannot explain why he failed to stop on seeing the train ahead.

The 20 people who were bruised and cut were attended to in a nearby hospital.